The 6th Annual FAIR HOUSING

To enter the poster contest:

Create an original poster illustrating the theme:

"Welcome Home: Will You Be My Neighbor?".

Send in your entry, and maybe you will be one of the winners!!





Open to all students

Grades K – 12 (Pitt County Schools, Private Schools and Home-Schools)

Fair Housing is a set of federal and state laws which protect our rights to equal housing opportunity.

The theme for the 6th Annual Fair Housing Poster Contest is:

"Welcome Home: Will You Be My Neighbor?"

Fair Housing Poster Contest Rules

Theme

"Welcome Home: Will You Be My Neighbor?".

Purpose

The intention of the poster contest is to increase awareness among students of their right to equal housing opportunity. Federal and state laws prohibit discrimination based on:

- Race
- Color
- Sex
- National Origin
- Religion
- Familial Status
- Disability

Poster Guidelines

Dimensions for the posters are 22 X 28 inches. Suggested materials include, but are not limited to, markers, colored pencils, crayons, paint, and construction paper. Contestants should not be discouraged from participation due to the unavailability of suggested materials.

What is Fair Housing?

In 1968, the United States Congress passed the Fair Housing Act to address housing discrimination based on race, color, religion and national origin.

In 1974 and 1988, the Congress passed legislation which added protection from housing discrimination based on sex, familial status (having children under 18 in the household), and physical or mental disability.

Sponsors information will be listed on the city's webpage, GTV, newspaper articles advertising and programs.

Poster Identification

The following information must be placed on the back of the posters using a ball point pen:

- The entrant's name, grade, school and teacher.
- The name, mailing address, email address, and contact information for parent(s)/guardian(s).

Entry Date and Process

Entries mail may be mailed or hand delivered by March 20, 2015. The address is:

Cassandra Daniels Human Relations Office P.O. Box 7207 201 West Fifth Street Greenville, NC 27835-7207

Entries become property of the City of Greenville and will not be returned.

Judging and Prizes

Prize –winning entries will be selected on their originality, content, design, appeal, technique and craftsmanship. The panel of judges will consist of individuals who are sponsors of the contest.

Winning Entries

All winning entries will be placed on display at City Hall and the Municipal Building. Winners will be recognized at an upcoming City Council Meeting.

Questions

Contact Cassandra Daniels with the City's Human Relations Office at 252-329-4494.



Contest Prizes

♦Grades K - 5♦

Winner Apple IPod Touch
Second Place Gift Bag
Third Place Gift Bag

♦Grades 6 - 8**♦**

Winner Apple IPad Mini Second Place Gift Bag Third Place Gift Bag

♦Grades 9 - 12**♦**

Winner Apple Ipad Second Place Gift Bag Third Place Gift Bag

The teacher of the winner for each category will receive \$150 UBE Gift Card (for art supplies) to purchase supplies for their class.

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ENTER NOW!!!!
Deadline: MARCH 20, 2015